Mountain Weather Forecast

Northwest Highlands

Including Sutherland, Ben Wyvis, Wester Ross, The Cuillin, Glen Affric, Glen Shiel and Knoydart
Forecast valid from 00:00 on Sunday 04 Oct 2020 until 23:59 on Monday 05 Oct 2020

Forecast Issued on Saturday 03 Oct 2020 at 14:45 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: High for a bright showery spell of weather following the heavy rain but lower for all details and timings.

Headline for Sunday 04 Oct 2020: Cloudy with outbreaks of rain, most persistent in the north. Northeasterly gales.

Mountain weather hazards on Sunday 04 Oct 2020

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy Snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
Medium Likelihood

Severe chill effect
Medium Likelihood

Poor visibility
High Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
Medium Likelihood

Strong sunlight
No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain	Light rain	Light rain	Heavy Rain	Light rain	Light rain	Light rain
Precipitation probability							
90%	90%	70%	70%	70%	70%	70%	40%

Forecast for Sunday 04 Oct 2020

Weather: Persistent, occasionally heavy rain continuing overnight and at first on Sunday. This will have led to fast flowing watercourses in the east of the area around Ben Wyvis and Morven, some of these bringing flooding to low level areas, access roads and campsites, these impacts continuing through the day. Further rain at times through the day, occasionally on the heavy side in the north but lighter and more patchy over Skye and Knoydart.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: No more than 20% with some hills shrouded all day especially in the north.

Visibility: Often moderate or poor in rain drizzle and mist.

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Forecast for Sunday 04 Oct 2020

Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1000	25/31 N	33/41 NE	40/50 E	35/45 NE	27/35 NE	20/25 NE	16/21 NE	16/21 NE	14/21 E
900	24/30 N	30/38 NE	36/46 E	32/42 NE	24/32 NE	18/23 NE	14/20 NE	15/21 NE	15/21 E
600	16/23 N	18/26 NE	24/34 NE	24/34 NE	19/27 NE	13/18 NE	8/13 NE	8/14 NE	9/16 E
300	8/26 N	5/27 NE	8/34 NE	8/33 NE	8/27 NE	4/19 NE	4/15 NE	4/15 NE	6/15 E
Glen	15/29 N	7/18 NE	14/30 NE	17/33 NE	11/24 NE	9/18 NE	8/15 NE	5/11 NE	5/12 NE

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1000	5/-1	7/1	7/0	6/1	7/2	7/2	6/2	6/2	5/1
900	5/0	7/2	7/2	7/2	7/3	7/3	7/3	6/2	6/2
600	7/3	9/5	9/5	9/5	10/6	9/7	9/7	8/6	8/5
300	8/6	10/9	11/10	11/10	12/10	11/11	11/10	10/9	9/8
Glen	11/8	12/11	14/11	14/11	14/12	14/12	13/12	12/11	11/10
Freezing Level*	2500m	2600m	2600m	2700m	2600m	2400m	2100m	2000m	1900m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View
Very poor underfoot conditions.

Forecast for Monday 05 Oct 2020
Weather: A brighter day with some sunny intervals but still a few showers.

Maximum wind: Variable 10-15mph.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 70%, still some occasional cloud on the tops mainly near showers.

Visibility: Away from cloud mainly good falling moderate in showers.

Temperature: **Glens:** Plus 9 rising to Plus 14 Celsius
At 800m: Plus 8 Celsius
Freezing level: Above the summits.

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